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Application No. 10/627,544	Filing Date July 25, 2003	Examiner J.M. Kuhn	Art Unit 2624	

Applicant(s): Peter W.J. Jones et al.

Invention: METHODS FOR VISUALLY SEPARATING AN OBJECT FROM ITS BACKGROUND,  
METHODS FOR DETECTING A CAMOUFLAGED OBJECT AGAINST ITS BACKGROUND  
AND DETECTION APPARATUS EMBODYING SUCH METHODS

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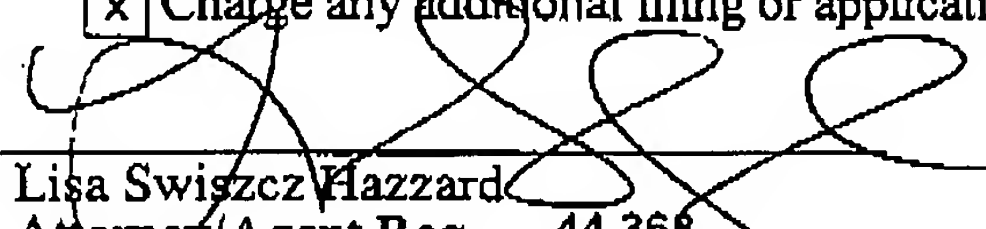
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

The following is in response to the Office Action mailed November 15, 2006. Applicants kindly ask that the above-identified application be amended prior to examination as set forth herein.

**Amendments to the Claims** begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.